

REMARKS

The Election/Restriction Requirement requires election of one of the following species:

Invention	CLAIMS OF GROUP
Species I	1-22 and 29-44
Species II	23-28

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement, Applicant hereby elects Species I, corresponding to claims 1-22 and 29-44 in the present application, with the remaining claims 23-28 being withdrawn from the present application without prejudice to their reintroduction in one or more subsequent divisional applications.

CONCLUSION

Based on the foregoing, favorable reconsideration and allowance of the claims is solicited. If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this and concurrent replies to charge payment (or credit any overpayment) to Deposit Account No. 50-0683 for any additional required fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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